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play, Applicants retaining the right to file claims in a continuation or divisional application to that non-elected subject matter. As the claims 1-11 now exclude the single basis for attempting to distinguish claims 1-11 from claims 21-27, the restriction requirement is now in error.

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Claims 1-11 should also be examined on their merits.

## IN THE CLAIMS

## Please amend claim 1 as follows:

1. (AMENDED) A method of playing a wagering game, comprising:

Providing one or more decks of standard playing cards;

A player placing a first wager on a first game segment against a dealer;

A dealer dealing one card to each player and a same number of cards to the dealer, forming player and dealer hands;

Resolving the first wager by comparing a total point value of the player and dealer hands, and awarding a payout to the player if the player hand beats the dealer hand;

A player placing a second wager on a second game segment;

A dealer dealing additional cards to each player, a total number of cards held by each player and the dealer when combined with the previously dealt cards not to exceed six to participate in a second game against the dealer, wherein the second game is selected from the group consisting of blackjack and baccarat;

Resolving the second wager using standard rules of the selected second game;

A player placing a third wager on a third game segment;

A dealer dealing <u>only</u> each player additional cards, if any, so that all players hold six cards;

Resolving the third wager by comparing each player's hand to a pay table; and